

## Inside



■ It's 'Monsters vs. Aliens' at the movies this week, as the animated feature screens at the base theater **B4**

## Education

### Troops to Teachers

**Presentation** — A local representative will be available in Hangar 2, Rm. 102 on Tuesday, May 12th from 1130-1300. No appointment required. Plan approximately 1.5 hours for the presentation. Contact the Force Development Flight at 15mss.dpe@hickam.af.mil.

### Hawaii Pacific University

— Registration for the five-week term, 11 May-15 June 09, is underway. Biology 2010 has been added to this term due to the popularity of this course and instructor. Stop by our offices in Hangar 2, or call us at 543-8053 for assistance.

### Post 9/11 GI Bill

— Effective May 1 individuals can start submitting their applications for the Post 9/11 GI Bill. Applications and information are available on the VA's website [www.gibill.va.gov](http://www.gibill.va.gov). Submitted by Force Development Flight at 15mss.dpe@hickam.af.mil.

### CCAF graduation ceremony

— The event will be held on Friday, 15 May 2009 at 1000 at the Hickam Officers Club Lanai. Graduates desiring to participate must contact Timothy Smith at [timothy.smith2@hickam.af.mil](mailto:timothy.smith2@hickam.af.mil). Everyone is invited to attend the ceremony. Attire for guests is uniform of the day or Aloha Casual. POC: Force Development Flight at 15mss.dpe@hickam.af.mil.

### College education fair

— The event will be held on Friday, 15 May 2009 from 1100-1400 at the Hickam Officers Club Lanai. More than 14 colleges participating. If seeking college opportunities from a certificate-masters degree, then you should plan to stop by and visit the Education Fair. All ID card-holders welcome. Refreshments will be available. POC: Force Development Flight at 15mss.dpe@hickam.af.mil.

### Officer Training School (OTS) applicants

— Individuals planning to apply for the Aug 2009 non-rated board need to contact Ali Scanlon with the Force Development Flight at 449-6363 x228 or [alisha.scanlon@hickam.af.mil](mailto:alisha.scanlon@hickam.af.mil) by May 18th to set up an appointment for your initial package review.

# Arts, crafts and family fun

Hickam's 34th Annual Spring Craft Fair & Family Fun Day at the Arts & Crafts Center was held Saturday. There were original handmade crafts, arts, live music from Island Storm, food, prizes, pony rides and more — under gorgeous, sunny blue skies.

Photos by Chris Aguinaldo



# WARRIOR of the week

By Chris Aguinaldo  
Hickam Kukini editor

HICKAM AIR FORCE BASE — Team Hickam proudly proclaims Staff Sergeant Terrell Owens of 15 MXG as our Warrior of the Week!

The Quality Assurance Inspector has been in the service for nine years, with the last three at Hickam AFB.

In his time in the Air Force, he says he's been able to "interact with all types of people of cultures and backgrounds."

He's also grateful to be in a line of work where he can make a difference. "Without maintainers, the aircraft can't fly. We are very important to the Air



Photo by Chris Aguinaldo

**Staff Sergeant Terrell Owens, 15 MXG, 'continually goes above and beyond to ensure the mission is met' said his commander.**

Force mission."

And he takes that responsibility seriously, said his commander.

"Staff Sergeant Owens is an NCO and maintainer who truly leads by example," said Major Katherine Lilly. "He continually goes above and beyond to ensure the mission is met and does it with a good humor nature that is consistent of a true leader."

"With his recent move to Quality Assurance Inspector for the Maintenance Group, he is now the one ensuring that the maintenance discipline and standards are being adhered to and is doing an outstanding job," Maj. Lilly continued.

Maj. Lilly adds that

Staff Sergeant Owens "is always ready to volunteer and steps up to support not only the squadron but the MXG, as well."

Staff Sergeant Owens said if there's one thing he'd like to change in the Air Force it's the Weighted Airman Promotion System (WAPS). "I think going before a board should be part of achieving rank. Some people are outstanding leaders but don't WAPS test very well."

When he's not busy, Staff Sergeant Owens, originally from Rockford, Ill., takes advantage of being in paradise by "going to the beach in December when I know its snowing at home."

In fact, being in Hawaii has made an impression on him, and looking into the future, he hopes to be stationed "somewhere warm ... Hickam set the bar high, and I hate working in the cold."

# Hickam Hurricanes swimmers make a splash at Harry Mamizuka Invitational

By Rachel Nix  
Hurricanes publicity coordinator

HICKAM AIR FORCE BASE — Several Hickam Hurricane swimmers made a great splash recently at the 29th Annual Harry M. Mamizuka Invitational Meet. The meet was held under sunny skies on April 25-26 at the Manoa Valley District Park pool complex.

Because only select swimmers with Hawaii A+ times were qualified to participate in this invitational meet, the competition was intense, to say the least.

Twenty swim teams competed from around the state, including teams from Kauai and the Big Island.

Hickam swimmer Ryan Bloom, age 10, finished out the weekend with some impressive performances. He finished 6th place in the 200-meter freestyle with a state qualifying time of 3:09.50, 7th



Courtesy photo

**Amanda Schulz swims in the butterfly portion of the recent Harry M. Mamizuka Invitational Meet. She also finished 9th in the 100-meter freestyle with a qualifying time of 1:08.41.**

place in the 100-meter backstroke with a qualifying time of 1:38.94, and 8th place in the 50-meter

backstroke with another qualifying time of 47.81. Catherine Malone, 11, finished

8th place in the 50-meter freestyle with a qualifying time of 32.08

**See HURRICANES, B5**



# Inside SERVICES

## Moms bowl free on Mother's Day

Take the family to the Hickam Bowling Center and mom bowls free on May 10, Mother's Day from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Moms will also receive a free gift. There is a three game limit. For information, call 448-9959.

## Mother's Day brunch

Tickets are going fast for the Mother's Day Brunch, Sunday, May 10 offered at both the Hickam Officers' Club and the Enlisted Club. The cost is \$24.95 for adults (\$2 Members First Discount), \$12.50 for ages 7-12 years, \$6.25 for ages 3-6 years and children 2 and under are free. Call 448-4608, Ext. 11 or 15 (O) or 448-2271, Ext. 227 (E) for reservations and information.

## Free 10-minute chair massage

Visit the Hickam Fitness & Sports Center for a free 10-minute chair massage on Monday, May 11 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Massages are first come, first served. For information, call 448-2214.

## After work kayaking

Relieve the daily stress with Outdoor Recreation's After Work Kayaking around Hickam Harbor on Wednesday, May 13 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Enjoy the peace and tranquility of the harbor as our guides take you paddling around Foster Point and Honeymoon Beach. Call

Outdoor Recreation at 449-5215 to sign-up by May 11. The cost is \$12.

## Mother's Day massage special

The Hickam Fitness & Sports Center has a Mother's Day Massage special until May 12. The \$100 cost includes a massage, body wrap and body scrub. For reservations, call 448-2214.

## Learn running techniques free

As part of the May Fitness Month celebration, the Fitness & Sports Center is offering a free Running Clinic on Thursday, May 14 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the lobby area. Sign-ups are not required. Drop by and get some expert advice on your fitness regimen. For information, call 448-2214.

## Green Eggs & Sam back at the Officers Club

Back by popular demand, "Green Eggs & Sam" will perform live and in person in the Officers Club Koa Lounge on Friday, May 15 from 6 to 10 p.m. For information, call 448-4608.

## Snorkel tour on the North Shore of Oahu

Explore the tide pools and swim with turtles at Three Tables and Waimea Bay on Saturday, May 16 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Outdoor Recreation will take you on a guided snorkel tour on the

North Shore when the surf is down in the summer. The cost is \$35. Call Outdoor Recreation at 449-5215 to sign-up by May 13.

## Sign up for Armed Forces Kids Fun Run

The 2009 America's Armed Forces Kids Fun Run will take place on Saturday, May 16 at 8 a.m. at Aloha Aina Park behind Wright Bros. Café & Grille. Youth ages 5-13 may register now until May 15 at all Youth Programs facilities. The first 200 children to sign-up will receive a free T-shirt. Call 448-4396 for more information.

## Wine Lovers tasting party

Taste quality wine samples from Italy and Spain complemented with appetizers at this fabulous wine tasting party on Saturday, May 16 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Information, Tickets & Travel will take you on a tour to the "Wines By Number" wine shop in Waipio. The \$30 cost includes transportation, a two-hour wine party with 10 generous wine samples, appetizers and a free wine glass. The bus departs from Hickam ITT parking lot at 6 p.m. Guests will also receive a 16% discount on wine purchases that night. Call Information, Tickets & Travel at 448-2295 for reservation.

## Two for one steak night at the Enlisted Club

Get two sizzling cuts of rib eye steak cooked to order with two orders of fresh vegetables on Tuesdays, 4:30-7:30 p.m. for \$17.95. For more information, call the

club at 448-2271.

## Summer Bowling leagues forming

Sign-up early to reserve your place in one of the Summer Bowling Leagues forming at Hickam Bowling Center. Leagues begin in June. For more information on these exciting leagues, visit the Bowling Center of call 448-9959.

## 7-Day Alaska cruise-The Last Frontier

Alaska boasts breathtaking views such as a 10-story crystal blue river of ice in Glacier Bay National Park, villages, coffee huts and spectacular wildlife from a soaring eagle to a family of brown bears along the icy coast. See Alaska on a 7-day cruise that runs weekly from May through September. The cost is \$729 per person based on double occupancy. You will also receive a \$25 ship-board credit. The cost is subject to change based on availability at time of booking. Fuel supplement and government fees are additional and subject to change. Airfare, hotel and land transfers are not included and are available upon request. Call Information, Tickets & Travel at 448-2295 to book early for best rates.

## Scrapbook Marathon Night at Arts & Crafts

Share ideas, see demos, receive discounts and win prizes at the Scrapbook Marathon Night at Hickam Arts & Crafts Center on Friday, May 15 from 6 p.m. to midnight. For information, call 448-9907.

15 Services and the Friends of Hickam present

# Beach Bum Parade

**Saturday, May 23**  
**3-4 p.m.**  
**Hickam Harbor**

Register your Squadron float for Services wildest, wettest weekend by May 17 at Outdoor Recreation.

Free Food, 4-7 p.m. at Foster Point by Friends of Hickam

\$18 Overnight Camping available

Free Movie on the Beach starts at 7 p.m.

# Splashtacular

**Sunday, May 24**  
**11 a.m.-4 p.m.**  
**Hickam Beach**

\$5 entry fee includes access to giant inflatables, water slides, kayaking, sailing, motorboat rides, Banana boat rides, windsurfing & more!

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## SERVICES

Current Topics & Incoming Events

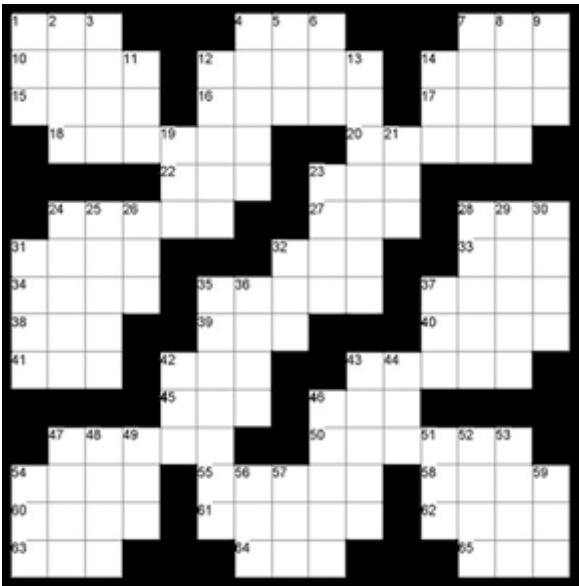
For information, call 449-5215.

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Crossword Puzzle: Asian-Pacific American Heritage



By Capt. Tony Wickman  
71st Flying Training Wing

ACROSS

- 1. Earlier
- 4. Accountant title, in short
- 7. Quick rest
- 10. MG John \_\_; first Chinese-American to attain general rank
- 12. Michael \_\_; Chinese-American who was youngest Grand Slam winner
- 14. Malarial fever
- 15. Weight of wrapping, receptacle, or conveyance containing goods
- 16. Surpass
- 17. Hiram \_\_; first American of Asian descent to be elected to U.S. Senate
- 18.Arthur's wizard
- 20. Informal term for an Air Force First Sergeant
- 22. Phoebe \_\_;Asian-American author, strategist and lecturer
- 23. Greek letter
- 24. Bazaars
- 27. Head covering
- 28. Sandwich order
- 31. Single-named Japanese-American who found first US Asian-American theater company

- 32. Commandment
- 33. NJP less than an Article 15
- 34. Land measurement
- 35. Malinger
- 37. Crazy
- 38. \_\_ Paolo
- 39. Amy \_\_; Chinese-American award-winning author
- 40. Gooley
- 41. Male offspring
- 42. Chinese-American architect famous for the Louvre pyramid
- 43. Woodworking tool
- 45. Auger
- 46. Rep.'s congressional counter-part
- 47. Daniel \_\_; first native Hawaiian to serve the U.S. Congress
- 50. Provisions
- 54. Patsy \_\_; first Asian-Pacific American woman elected to Congress
- 55. Reigns over
- 58. Easy \_\_ it
- 60. Opera piece
- 61. Eugene \_\_; first Vietnamese-American in space
- 62. Middle East canal
- 63. Standard time in fifth time zone west of Greenwich, England

- 64. Yuan \_\_; Taiwanese-American Nobel Prize chemist
- 65. Mao \_\_-tung

DOWN

- 1. Rear of the ship
- 2. Island included in monthly observance
- 3. Shrek was one
- 4. Connie \_\_; first Asian-American to anchor nightly network news
- 5. Karate Kid's \_\_ Morita; Japanese-American actor
- 6. Conjunction
- 7. Haing S. \_\_; Academy Award winning Thai-American actor
- 8. Female relative
- 9. Wooden stick
- 11. Death Becomes \_\_
- 12. Quarters, dimes and nickels
- 13. T-45A
- 14. \_\_ 36-2903 Air Force Dress and Appearance
- 19. Allow
- 21. Smack
- 23. Burn
- 24. Small SE Asia islands
- 25. Ohio city
- 26. Fish eggs
- 28. Julia \_\_; first Asian-American ambassador in State Dept.
- 29. Gary \_\_; 1st Chinese-American to be elected a state governor
- 30. City of the Iliad
- 31. Weight
- 32. Maya \_\_;Asian-American architect of the Vietnam Memorial
- 35. Jean-Luc Picard actor Patrick
- 36. Greet
- 37. Radiant shine
- 42. LPGA Korean golfer Se Ri \_\_
- 43. Dog need
- 44. Picnic crasher
- 46. Play part
- 47. Broadcasts
- 48. Sew
- 49. Alias identifier
- 51. O'Neil and Harris
- 52. Cakewalk
- 53. Observes
- 54. Actress West
- 56. Web site address starter
- 57. Fib
- 59. Wilbur \_\_; first Chinese American officer in USMC

See SOLUTIONS, B5

SUDOKU

For solution, see SUDOKU, B5

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Team Hickam History  
The Air Force’s most historic airfield

**May 9, 1918** — Major Harold M. Clark makes the first inter-island flight in the Hawaiian Islands, from Fort Kamehameha (Oahu) to the island of Maui.

**May 9, 1932** — The first blind solo flight, relying solely on instruments, is made by Capt. A. F. Hegenberger (Captain Hegenberger had previously made the first non-stop Mainland-to-Hawaii flight with Lt. Maitland in 1927).

**May 10, 1926** — While attending the Air Corps Tactical School at Langley Field, Virginia, Horace Hickam narrowly escapes death. During a flight formation, he collided in mid-air with Major Harold E. Geiger, a fellow student, and had to parachute to safety. This resulted in

his initiation into the famed “Caterpillar Club,” a fraternal order with membership based on surviving an emergency parachute jump. By coincidence, Major Geiger was the same aviator who tried to establish the first military aviation school on Oahu, at Fort Kamehameha, in 1913.



**May 12, 1971** — The Air Force activates USAF Dispensary, Hickam (currently, the 15th Medical Group), and assigns the unit to the 6486th Air Base Wing, Hickam AFB, Hawaii.

**May 14, 1946** — The 15th Operations Support Squadron (then-15th Communications Squadron, Command) is activated and stationed at Greenville Army Air Base, South Carolina. The squadron was assigned to Third Air Force on the same date.

### RELIGIOUS OPPORTUNITIES

For more information on Base Chapel services , call the Chapel Center at 449-1754. After hours emergency Duty Chaplain via Command Post: 448-6900.

<b>CATHOLIC</b> Nelles Chapel Weekday Mass Mon.-Thu., 11:30 a.m. Saturday Confessions 4:15 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass 5 p.m. Chapel Center Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m.	<b>PROTESTANT</b> Chapel Center Sunday Contemporary Service 8:30 a.m. Nelles Chapel Traditional/Liturgical Service 8:30 a.m. Gospel Service 10:30 a.m.	<b>OTHER RELIGIOUS OPPORTUNITIES</b> Buddhist, call 536-7044 Jewish, call 473-3970 Mormon, call 488-2434 Muslim, call 947-0050	(Protestant) Chapel Center Sunday (Sep-May) AWANA 3:00 p.m. Wednesday Sunday School Dinner 4:45 p.m. Wednesday Sunday School Classes 6:00 p.m	King Hall First Floor Dayroom – Bldg. 1856 - All Airmen welcome! Mon.-Thu. 6-10 p.m. Fri.-Sat. 6-11 p.m. Free gourmet espresso, cappuccinos, Italian sodas Video games, internet, movies and more To Volunteer, call the Hickam Chapel Center at 449-1754
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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
(Catholic) Chapel Center  
Sunday (Sep-May) 9:00 a.m.

**THE GATHERING PLACE**  
Airmen's Dorm Coffeehouse

Jenny

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### AT THE MOVIES

Memorial Theater 448-2297 • CLOSED Monday and Tuesday

**Adventureland**

Welcome to Adventureland, where the worst job imaginable is about to inadvertently turn into the summer that changes everything. An uptight, overeducated young man previously had big plans to spend the summer on a life-altering track through Europe that would initiate him into real adult life. But when his family suffers an economic downturn, James' only summer trip is straight to a minimum wage job manning a game booth. This lowly new "career" leads to the wildest ride of his life, a journey through puking kids, angst-filled co-workers and a dizzy-making romantic triangle, all the way to facing his own future with guts and optimism.

Starring Jesse Eisenberg and Kristen Stewart.

Rated R (language, drug use, sexual references); 106 min.

Sunday, 4 p.m.

**Fast and Furious**

When a crime brings them back to L.A. fugitive ex-con Dom Toretto reignites his feud with agent Brian O'Conner. But as they are forced to confront a shared enemy, Dom and Brian must give in to an uncertain new trust if they hope to outmaneuver him. And from convoy heists to precision tunnel crawls across international lines, two men will find the best way to get revenge: push the limits of what's possible behind the wheel.

Starring Vin Diesel and Paul Walker.

Rated PG-13 (drug references, language, intense sequences of violence, intense sequences of action, sexual content); 107 min.

Tonight, 8:30 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.

**Monsters vs. Aliens**

California girl Susan Murphy is unexpectedly turned into a giant and is instantly labeled a "monster" named Ginormica. The military captures and holds Ginormica in a secret government compound with other monsters.

Their confinement time is cut short when a mysterious alien robot lands on earth and begins storming the country. As a last resort, the motley crew of monsters is called into action to combat the aliens and save the world from imminent destruction.

Starring Reese Witherspoon and Hugh Laurie.

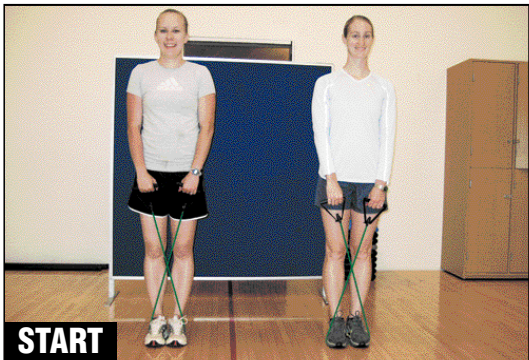
Rated PG (sci-fi action, crude humor, mild language); 94 min.

Tonight, 6 p.m.; Saturday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.



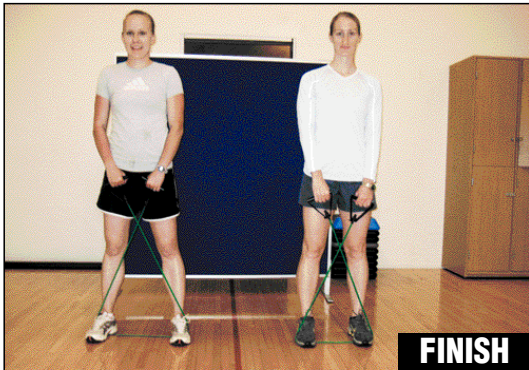


**Exercise: Hip Abduction**  
**Muscles worked: Abductor Muscles (Outer Thigh)**

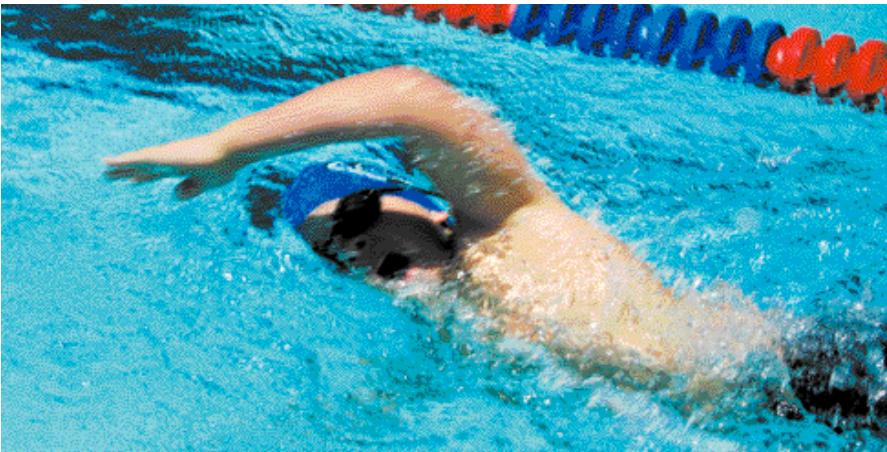


Begin by standing on the elastic band with feet together. Keep a slight bend in the knees so that the legs don't lock up. Cross over the handles and hold at sides so that an "X" is formed with the elastic band.

Take one step to the side and bring the other foot next to it so that the feet are together again. Repeat in both directions. Remember to keep neutral alignment. Keep the back and neck straight and contract the abs throughout the exercise.



Models (from left to right):  
SSgt. Emily Georgi and SSgt. Krissa Takatsuka  
Photos and instructions:  
A1C Katrina Plank, Asst. Fitness Coordinator and certified personal trainer



Courtesy photo

**Ryan Bloom of the Hickam Hurricanes swims in the freestyle at the Harry M. Mamizuka Invitational Meet. He placed 6th in the 200-meter freestyle with a state qualifying time of 3:09.50.**

**HURRICANES,** From B1

and Amanda Schulz, 18, finished 9th place in the 100-meter freestyle with a qualifying time of 1:08.41.

Jen Litchfield, 10, can also boast a new qualifying time of 3:04.51 in the 200-meter freestyle.

Other Hickam swimmers who competed include Taylor Day, 14, Marissa and Miquela Goodson, 10 and 12 respectively, and Ethan Nix, 8.

Congratulations to our hardworking Hickam swimmers.

Swimmers are now preparing for the Long Course State Championship meet scheduled this July in Maui.

The Hickam Hurricanes are always ready to welcome new swimmers to the team. The team has experienced paid coaches who offer not only swim stroke and technique instruction, but a fun and positive atmosphere for the children.

The team will continue to practice through the summer and new swimmers can join at any time throughout the year. Practice is held at Hickam Dive Pool #1, with tryouts starting at 4:30pm Monday-Friday.

Log on to [www.hickamhurricanes.com](http://www.hickamhurricanes.com) for more information.

**SOLUTIONS,** From B3

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**SUDOKU,** From B3

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